

## U.S. WELCOME MAKES JAPAN EAST FRIEND

**Heart of Great West Is All  
Right—Doubts Cleared**  
Among Loyal Sons

**COOPERATION IS PLEDGED**  
**Envoy, Elated With Reception, Insists on Entertaining Hosts**

A PACIFIC PORT, Aug. 15.—All doubts and misconceptions which may have existed between Japan and the United States have been wholly cleared away in the three days which have elapsed since a Japanese mission landed here. Viscount K. Ishii, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, declared in an address here to-night:

"You have convinced my Government

West is all right," he said, "and that friendly cooperation from now on is to be the keynote of all relations between America and Japan."

**Ishii Becomes Host.**

The Ambassador after three days of entertainment turned the tables and gave a dinner to Breckinridge Long, Third Assistant Secretary of State, and his staff.

the army and navy officers assigned to the mission, and State and city officials who have participated in their welcome. At the Viscount's request Mr. Long waived a dinner which he had planned to give.

Viscount Ishii, apparently in high good humor, jested with his fourscore guests.

"During the last three days I have been making what I believe you call in America a whirlwind campaign," he said. "Your kindness has been the whirlwind and I and my colleagues have

**Honors Are Appreciated.**  
 "Aside from all pleasantry I have, indeed, much occasion for satisfaction to-night. The unfeigned honors which you have extended to this mission are a

notice to all the world that America and Japan are standing side by side in the great issues of the day.

"You have spoken the word here which binds us in harmony of purpose. Your action clears away many a doubt and misunderstanding on the part of the people of both countries as to our mutual aims and aspirations. The hand of friendship which you have extended to me personally will be accepted by the

the people of Japan as a tender of sincere good will toward the sovereign and the people whom I have the honor to represent.

"You have made the work of this mission easier, and I will proceed to the consent of government in Washington buoyed up with the assurance of America's friendly spirit. Your generous attitude makes it possible for every fair-minded man to believe that there are no pending questions between America and Japan which approached in this spirit are not susceptible or honorable and fair adjustment."

## SUFFRAGETTES LOSE BANNERS BY SCORE

**One White House Picket Dignity  
New Flag From Recesses  
of White Stocking.**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Tearing of banners from the suffrage pickets of the Woman's party at the White House gates and attacks on the party headquarters at Lafayette Park, across the way, continued to-day. Officers of the Woman's party said to-night one banner addressed to "Kaiser Wilson" and forty-nine others had been destroyed during the day.

As the women emerged from their headquarters or as soon as they appeared before the White House their banners were grabbed. The police paid

One woman who carried a banner lost most of her clothes and she had to wrap herself in the banner itself before she started through the crowd for suffragists.

William Bayard Hale, one time special representative of President Wilson in Mexico, who ventured to address the

The only violence to the women was reported by Alice Paul, chairman of the Woman's party. Miss Paul declared that a man in a sailor's uniform had snatched at the regalia she wore, but that she had escaped.

feet slipped on the wet pavement the man dragged her some distance. Miss Paul exhibited a mud smeared costume in support of her charge.

Secretary Daniels issued a statement to-day warning persons connected with the navy not to take part in demonstrations against the women.

**INCREASE OF 200 GRAMS ASKED BY THIERRY-CAZES.**

PARIS, Aug. 15.—Deputy Thierry-Cazes yesterday addressed an urgent request to Maurice Violette, Minister of Subsistence, asking him to increase to 500 grams instead of 300 the daily

amount of food to be allotted the population. With the two additional 200 gram allotments already provided for this will make a total of 900.

The Deputy said the majority of peasants live in the open air and eat principally soup and bread and they will regard it as an injustice if they are not allowed to eat their fill of grain they themselves raise.

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